

What is Claimed:

1. A method for replicating a master file, the method comprising:
providing at a client computing device an interface that enables a user to select the master file for replication; and
replicating from the client computing device to a connected computing device a change to the master file.
2. The method of claim 1, further comprising replicating at the client computing device from the connected computing device a change to a replica of the master file.
3. The method of claim 2, comprising replicating at the client computing device the change to the replica according to a conflict resolution scheme.
4. The method of claim 3, comprising replicating at the client computing device the change to the replica if the change to the replica does not conflict with the master file.
5. The method of claim 1, comprising replicating from the client computing device to a server the change to the master file.
6. The method of claim 1, comprising replicating the change to the master file in response to an event occurring at the client computing device.
7. The method of claim 6, comprising replicating the change to the master file in response to one of an expiration of a selected time interval, closing the master file at the client device, saving the master file at the client device, and shutting down the client device.
8. The method of claim 1, comprising replicating the change to the master file in response to a request from the connected computing device.
9. The method of claim 1, comprising providing at a client computing device an interface that enables a user to select a portion of the master file for replication.

10. The method of claim 1, further comprising providing at a client computing device an interface that enables a user to select a security option for replication of the master file.
11. The method of claim 1, further comprising providing at a client computing device an interface that enables a user to select a security option for replication of selected a portion of the master file.
12. A computer readable medium having computer-executable instructions for performing the steps recited in claim 1.
13. A method for replicating a master file, the method comprising:
 - replicating from a client computing device to a replica a change to the master file, the client computing device providing an interface enabling a user to select the master file for replication; and
 - replicating to the client computing device a change to the replica.
14. The method of claim 13, comprising replicating at a server the change to the master file.
15. The method of claim 13, comprising replicating to the client computing device the change to the replica according to a conflict resolution scheme.
16. The method of claim 15, comprising replicating to the client computing device the change to the replica if the change to the replica does not conflict with the master file.
17. The method of claim 13, comprising replicating the change to the master file in response to an event occurring at the client computing device.
18. The method of claim 17, comprising replicating the change to the master file in response to one of an expiration of a selected time interval, closing the master file at the client device, saving the master file at the client device, and shutting down the client computing device.

19. The method of claim 13, further comprising requesting replication of the change to the master file in response to a command from another client computing device.
20. The method of claim 13, further comprising replicating to another client computing device the change to the master file.
21. The method of claim 13, further comprising replicating from another client computing device the change to the replica.
22. The method of claim 13, further comprising providing a security option for the master file enabling the change to the master file to be replicated.
23. The method of claim 13, comprising replicating a change to a portion of the master file selected for replication.
24. The method of claim 23, further comprising providing a security option for the portion of the master file enabling the change to the portion of the master file to be replicated.
25. A computer readable medium having computer-executable instructions for performing the steps recited in claim 13.
26. A system for replicating a master file, the system comprising:
a client computing device providing a user interface that enables a user to select the master file for replication, the client computing device replicating a change to the master file to a connected computing device; and
the connected computing device replicating from the client computing device to a replica the change to the master file.
27. The system of claim 26, wherein the client computing device replicates the change to the master file in response to an event occurring at the client computing device.

28. The system of claim 27, wherein the event is one of an expiration of a selected time interval, closing the master file at the client device, saving the master file at the client device, and shutting down the client device.

29. The system of claim 26, wherein the client computing device replicates the change to the master file in response to a request from the connected computing device.

30. The system of claim 26, wherein the client computing device replicates to the master file a change to the replica.

31. The system of claim 30, wherein the client computing device replicates to the master file a change to the replica according to a conflict resolution scheme.

32. The system of claim 26, wherein the connected computing device is a server.

33. The system of claim 26, wherein the server replicates to a replication client the change to the master file.

34. The system of claim 26, wherein the server replicates from a replication client the change to the replica.